



## HASKAP PRODUCTION WORKSHOP

*Managing the orchard for yield optimisation*

The Coopérative Forestière du Nord-Ouest in collaboration with the Department of Agriculture, Aquaculture and Fisheries is inviting you to a haskap production workshop. The workshop will consist of an in-class session followed by a hands-on session the following day.

### October 13<sup>th</sup> 2018 In-class Session

Registration opens at 8 a.m.  
Workshop from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00  
p.m.

**At the Centre Maillet**  
12 Martin St  
Edmundston (St-Basile), NB

### October 14<sup>th</sup> 2018 In-field Session

8:30am to 12:00 p.m.

**Bouchard Orchard**  
4270 Route 120  
Baker-Brook, NB

\*Please note that the in-field session will be offered in good or inclement weather; participants should come prepared for all weather.

### October 13<sup>th</sup>, 2018 In-class Session

Over 10 speakers invited to deliver a variety of subjects. These talks should guide you in the management of your orchard with the goal of yield optimisation.

- Cultivar selection
- Fertilisation
- Organic practices
- Weed management
- Pollination
- Bird protection
- Harvest
- Pruning

### October 14<sup>th</sup> – In-field Session:

This workshop will be offered in the field. Speakers from the previous day will demonstrate pruning in the orchard. Organic management practices will also be covered.

**\*Simultaneous translation will be available during the in-class session.**

For more information, please contact the Coopérative Forestière du Nord-Ouest at 506-992-3950 or [info@cofno.ca](mailto:info@cofno.ca)





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### REGISTRATION FORM

To ensure that your place is reserved, please register and send payment before October 5<sup>th</sup>.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Province: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

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#### **PAYMENT:**

Cost: \$30 per participant (includes lunch on October 13<sup>th</sup> and refreshment breaks)

Cheque or e-transfer

- e-Transfer: interact E-transfer at [info@cofno.ca](mailto:info@cofno.ca)
- Cheque: Please make cheque payable to « **Agricultural Alliance of New Brunswick** »

**Please send the registration form and payment to the Coopérative Forestière du Nord-Ouest, before October 5<sup>th</sup> 2018:**

#### **Coopérative Forestière du Nord-Ouest**

495 Principal St  
Clair, NB  
E7A 2G6

#### **CONFERENCE RATE AT DAYS INN WYNDHAM:**

A room discount is offered at the Days Inn Wyndham. Rooms are offered at 89.00\$ + tax which includes breakfast. Mention the "Coopérative Forestière du Nord-Ouest haskap conference" during registration for conference rate.

#### **Days Inn Wyndham**

10 Mathieu St, Edmundston NB  
(506)263-0000.





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## October 13<sup>th</sup> – Workshop program

<b>8:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Registration</b>	
8:30 a.m.	Welcome	Guy Paillard COFNO
8:40 a.m.	A look back at the 2018 season	Venessa Allain DAAF NB
9:00 a.m.	Fertilisation and pH management	Maxime Parré PhD UQAC
9 :30 a.m.	Compost tea trial	Dodick Gasser PhD Biology NBCC
<b>10 :00 a.m.</b>	<b>Refreshment break</b>	
10:20 a.m.	Organic production; a producer's perspective	Marc-Antoine Pelletier Organic Producer
11:00 a.m.	Weed management in the haskap orchard	Gavin Graham P.Ag DAAF NB
11:30 a.m.	Pollination strategies	Francis Blanchet P.Ag Cultur'Innov
<b>12 :00 p.m.</b>	<b>Lunch</b>	
12:45 p.m.	Organic fertilisation	Normand Haché
1:15 p.m.	Bird protection techniques	Francis Blanchet P.Ag Cultur'Innov
1:30 p.m.	The theory of pruning	Denis Prince P.Ag MAAP NB
2:00 p.m.	Harvest methods	Francis Blanchet P.Ag Cultur'Innov
2:30 p.m.	Cultivar choices	Martine Girard Végétolab Inc.
<b>3:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Refreshment break</b>	
3:20 p.m.	Haskap production; a producer's perspective	Manuel Gosselin Indigo Super Tech
3:50 p.m.	COFNO	Guy Paillard COFNO
4:10 p.m.	Closing word	Guy Paillard COFNO
4 :30 to 5:00 p.m.	<b>Networking and visit of the Exhibitor tables</b>	



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**October 14<sup>th</sup> – In-field session program**

**\*Bring your pruning shears\***

8 h 30	Organic soil preparation and orchard management	Marc-Antoine Pelletier Organic Producer
9 h	Pruning demonstration	Francis Blanchet, P.Ag Cultur'Innov Denis Prince, P.Ag NBDAAF
12 h	End of the session	Guy Paillard CoFNO